IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Tsuyoshi MATSUDA; Tatsuhiko HIRANO; Junhui OH; Atsunori KAWAMURA; Kenji SAKAI

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

This communication is in response to the Restriction Requirement dated **January** 16, 2008.

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